

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO

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C O N F I D E N T I A L SANTIAGO 8891

FOR AMBASSADOR STEDMAN FROM AMBASSADOR POPPER

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNAR CI BL

SUBJECT: BOLIVIAN PRESIDENT'S REQUEST

REF: LA PAZ 7189

1. THANK YOU FOR YOUR PROMPT REPLY. I STILL FAIL TO UNDERSTAND WHY A TRIP TO SANTIAGO, TOGETHER WITH BOLIVIAN AND DEA OFFICERS, IS NECESSARY TO CLEAR THE NAME OF GUILLERMO BANZER-OLIOPI. HOWEVER, IF YOU FEEL IT IS HELPFUL TO THE U.S. INTEREST IN BOLIVIA, AND THAT DEA INVOLVEMENT CAUSES NO UNACCEPTABLE RISKS, WE WILL BE GLAD TO ASSIST IN THE OPERATION IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE. POPPER

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## Message Attributes

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